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SUBJ: NARCOTICS -NEPAL

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1. APPRECIATE YOUR PASSING THE INITIAL SIX FIELD DRUG
KITS TO IG BARAL. FIVE ADDITIONAL UNITS JUST RECEIVED AND WILL
BE POUCHED AS ARRANGEMENTS PERMIT. APPRECIATE YOUR COOPERATION.

2. IMMEDIATELY FORWARDING COPIES OF BEAR CAGE CASE FURTHER
IDENTIFIED AS US CUSTOMS CASE NO. 8C06C0035800 (WJB). THE
DEFENDANTS ARE IDENTIFIED AS WARREN WESLEY PIERCE, PETER
IBANEX, CHARLES EARL WOODSON, CHARLES T. MURRAY, RUTH RAE
DOORBAR AND DONALD ROBERT HOTALING. DEFENDANTS WERE ARRESTED
ON DEC. 1, 1972 IN REDDING, CALIF. AFTER THE SEIZURE OF APPROX.
140 LBS OF HASHISH SECRETED IN THE WALLS OF TWO BEAR CAGES.

3. IG BARAL'S REQUEST FOR INFO ON THE GREEN PARK, NEW DELHI
HASHISH SEIZURE IS UNDER PRESENT COOPERATIVE LIAISON THROUGH
SUPT. PURI OF N AND CCD IN COOPERATION WITH THE SEIZING POLICY
AUTHORITY. PURI ADVISED POLICE RELUCTANCE TO SHARE INVESTIGATION
BUT IT IS KNOWN INTERPOL WAS FURNISHED NAMES OF SUSPECTS IN
VARIOUS COUNTRIES. DEA WILL COORDINATE THIS THROUGH NEW DELHI
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EMBASSY FOR OPERATIONAL CONCURRENCE TO GO DIRECT TO POLICE FOR

INFO DESIRED. WILL KEEP YOU ADVISED OF RESULTS.

4. A COVER LETTER IS BEING SENT UNDER SEPARATE COVER OF PAST SIGNIFICANT DRUG CASES RELATING TO NEPAL. LIMITED DEA PERSONNEL STAFF HAS UNFORTUNATELY DELAYED THESE REPORTS. THEY RECEIVE A HIGH PRIORITY IN THIS OFFICE. WE APOLOGIZE FOR THE DELAY. YOU SHOULD RECEIVE THEM SHORTLY.

5. INDIA CONTINUES TO EXPRESS CONCERN FOR VOLUME AMOUNT AND FREQUENCY OF DRUG TRAFFIC FROM NEPAL ENTERING INDIA FOR INTERNAL DISTRIBUTION AND TRANSSHIPMENT TO OTHER PARTS OF THE WORLD.
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